

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA  
BECKLEY DIVISION**

**THOMAS SHEPPHEARD,  
TYLER RANDALL, and  
ADAM PERRY, next friend and guardian  
of Minor child J.P., on their own behalf  
and on behalf of all others  
similarly situated,**

**Plaintiffs,**

**v.**

**Civil Action No. 5:23-cv-00530  
Judge Irene C. Berger**

**JAMES C. JUSTICE JR., his official capacity  
as Governor of the State of West Virginia, and  
MARK SORSAIA, in his official capacity  
as the Cabinet Secretary of the West Virginia  
Department of Homeland Security,**

**Defendants.**

**STIPULATION ON DISCOVERY**

The parties stipulate that all written discovery requests (past and future) made by Defendant Sorsaia to Plaintiffs are to be treated as if also made by Defendant Justice, and that all of Plaintiffs' responses to Defendant Sorsaia in response to those requests (past and future) are to be treated as if also being made in response to Defendant Justice.

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